## Amendment No. 1 to HJR1253

## Turner M Signature of Sponsor

## **AMEND**

## House Joint Resolution No. 1253\*

By deleting the caption of the resolution in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

A RESOLUTION to commend the States of Arizona and Hawaii.

AND FURTHER AMEND by adding the following as clauses to the preamble immediately prior to the first clause of the preamble:

WHEREAS, Hawaii was the 50<sup>th</sup> state to be admitted to the federal union on August 20, 1959; and

WHEREAS, the state of Hawaii consists of eight beautiful and scenic islands, which are Nihau, Kauai, Oahu, Maui, Molokai, Lanai, Kahoolawe and the Big Island of Hawaii; and

WHEREAS, Hawaii is the home of many world renowned beaches; and WHEREAS, Hawaii is home to the historic naval base of Pearl Harbor which touched the lives of Tennesseans and all Americans due to its being the fateful site of the attack by the Japanese military on the United States on December 7, 1941; and

WHEREAS, Hawaii harvests coffee, macadamia nuts, orchids and other valuable and delightful crops; and

WHEREAS, Hawaii is home to renowned dormant and active volcanoes; and WHEREAS, diving, surfing, beaches, and more make Hawaii a distinctive tourist destination; and

AND FURTHER AMEND by adding the following as a new resolving clauses immediately after the first resolving clause:

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this body hereby honors and commends the State of Hawaii and its government officials on the contributions of that beautiful state to

this nation and salutes the initiative and many commendable activities and heritage of that state.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an enrolled copy of this resolution be transmitted to the Governor of Hawaii.